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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Hiroe MAEDA, Hirotaka MATSUURA and Shuuji YANO
POLARIZER AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME
Assignee: NITTO DENKO CORPORATION
Our Ref. Q67967

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty eight (28) sheets of the specification including the claims and abstract, 1 sheet of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	6 - 20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	2 - 3	=		x	\$84.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee							\$740.00

TOTAL FILING FEE **\$740.00**

Recordation of Assignment **\$40.00**

TOTAL FEE **\$780.00**

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$740.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2001-143834	14 / May / 2001

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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